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From: Sayles, Gregory
Sent: Tue 8/18/2015 11:10:34 AM
Subject: RE: Your thoughts on surface water, groundwater and sediment expertise

Patti – Maybe you are aware – there is a conversation among senior folks in OEM, OW, ORD about watershed monitoring of the rivers, etc. The next call is Wednesday. I hope that what you are starting up and this nascent HQ discussion are somehow connected. Please call me if you wish.

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From: Tyler, Patti
Sent: Monday, August 17, 2015 4:28 PM
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Thanks Greg, why don't you please go ahead and proceed and get back to me and I can loop the area command EUL when they arrive tomorrow. Thanks so much

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On Aug 17, 2015, at 5:24 AM, Sayles, Gregory <Sayles.Gregory@epa.gov> wrote:

Patti –

I have a few ideas, but I would like to reach out into the Labs and get some nominations for you. Shall I proceed? Do you want to talk today first?

Greg

From: Tyler, Patti

Sent: Monday, August 17, 2015 12:40 AM

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Hi Greg,

I am now working as the Liaison Officer in Area Command in Durango and there have been conversations today about the need to start thinking of putting together a long term monitoring strategy for the watersheds potentially impacted by the Gold King Mine release. We are thinking that we would need to pull together a team of expertise in surface water, drinking water, groundwater and sediments and I wanted to informally reach out to you to see if you had any thoughts on specific names. I think it may take a couple of months for a team to develop this strategy. I was also wondering if OW could assist.

Thanks in advance for any thoughts you may have with this and I am also happy to give you a call to discuss in more detail.

Patti

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